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Chief of Station, Khabarovsk

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Chief, PDM

KIBITZ Project

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1. In the first reference above you asked us to react to the new numbering scheme which you are now using for the ever-growing net of KIBITZ 15. Without going into any detail, it seems to us that the new scheme is much better than the one previously employed for the simple reason that a consecutive system of numbers without any sub-letters is easier to follow. The new plan therefore has our hearty approval.

2. The organizational chart, with the appropriate numbers indicating functions, is also greatly appreciated and clarifies the entire net considerably.

3. According to our analysis, KIBITZ 15 now has 71 members in his net, of whom 26 are under development at the present time. Further, 26 of these agents are marked as Commo personnel. In MOKA-31713 you stated that 45 of these agents have now been lined up by KIBITZ 15 into approximately 14 teams or units, with the additional plan on his part to organize finally some 12 teams. This information brings up the following questions.

4. As far as we know, only 127 and 161 of the 15 net have received operational clearance. While we realize that obtaining operational clearance on such a large number of agents is difficult, especially because 15 is more or less running his own show, the lack of such clearance or, let us say, the slowness in obtaining clearance, is a source of concern. Can you suggest any answers?

5. While 15 seems to have developed his agents into separate teams, to what degree do the members of team 1 know the members of team 2, etc.? In this same connection, is there any danger that the many members of the 15 net may know or guess the members of other PASTIME teams? You may have answered this latter question when you said that the 15 outfit is not aware of other PASTIME projects, but we would like to be reassured.

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6. Further questions arise concerning any possible connections of members of the 15 outfit with either SD/SS or active members of the German military who might offer complications once the German army is reinstated. We would also appreciate your recommendations on these points.

7. While 15 is unquestionably an organizer and operator of surprising ability, the tremendous size of his net and the fact that he is operating pretty much on his own is food for thought. Sometime in the near future you will receive some suggestions from [] with respect to the 15 complex.

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